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NO OPPONENT FOR SWANSON

Neither Glass Nor Tucker Will Enter Race For Senate

ANNOUNCE DECISION

Tucker Advised Not to Run, and Glass's Health Will Keep Him Out of a Campaign

Roanoke, June 2.—Followinga long conference early this morning at the Roanoke Hotel, it was authoritatively announced that neither Representative Carter Glass nor Harry St. George Tucker, would enter the lists as a candidate for the United States Senate in opposition to Senator Claude A. Swanson.

To this council was called a number of the best-known antiorganization men in attendance upon the convention. Both Mr. Glass and Mr. Tucker were present. No statement was obtainable from Mr. Tucker.

"It is not my intention to be a candidate for the senatorship," said Mr. Glass at midnight. "I know of nothing now that would induce me to change this decision. My physicians have advised me that my health would not be equal to a campaign at this time, and there are other considerations which weigh against such a course."

Substantially this statement was made by Mr. Glass also at the conference, which wound up by renewing the effort to bring the Sixth District Congressman out as Mr. Swanson's competitor, in this effort Mr. Tucker joined.

The conference reviewed the situation in details. Practically to a man, those in attendance advised Mr. Tucker not to make the race. No formal poll was taken, and no committal to any line of action was sought. When the meeting adjourned it was understood that Mr. Tucker, adopting the view of his advisers, had definitely decided not to come out. This will mean the recalling of the tentative notice of candidacy implied by his deposit of the required $150 fee with Auditor Moore,

It was pointed out at the conference that Mr. Tucker's views on the national prohibition issue and immediately related questions would militate strongly against his success were he to attempt a race now when public opinion in the Commonwealth on these questions is apparently so at variance with his own.

Its decision received the approval of Governor Stuart, who freely expressed to friends his belief that Mr. Tucker had little to expect from a contest at this time.

Apparently with the intention of entering into a campaign against Senator Swanson, Mr. Tucker had, through friends in Richmond, paid to State Auditor Moore the $150 fee required by the primary law of candidates for the senatorial nomination.

The fact that Mr. Tucker had caused his fee to be paid in became known here late yesterday afternoon and convention headquarters buzzed with the news the rest of the day.

Confirmation of the report came later from Mr. Tucker himself who admitted publicly at the Roanoke Hotel that his candidacy fee had already been paid in.

Richmond June 2.—Entrance fee was deposited with Auditor C. Lee Moore yesterday on behalf of Senator Aubrey Strode, of Amherst, who is expected today to make public announcement of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Tenth Virginia district, against Hal D. Flood.

Last night Auditor Moore declined to make any statement relative to the money having been put up for Mr. Strode's entrance fee, but it is known that it has been paid over.

Just received 100 pair men's tan and black sample shoes. Also 100 pair ladies slippers in black and assorted colors. Some are worth $5.00 and $6.00, for less than half price. Bernheimer and Company, corner

LATE COLONEL MOSBY.

Alexandria Light Infantry Returned to Alexandria From Warrenton Last Night.

With four companies of the Virginia National Guard acting as an escort, of honor, the body of Col. John S. Mosby was borne to its last resting place in the cemetery in Warrenton yesterday. Many of the comrades of the deceased and other veterans of the civil war attended the funeral.

The body was brought from Washington accompanied by Charles W. Russell, brother-in-law of Col. Mosby; the three daughters, Misses Ada and Pauline Mosby, and Mrs Stuart Mosby Coleman.

Col. Mosby rests beside his wife in the Mosby plot in the Warrenton cemetery. The services were conducted by Father W. R. Gill, of the Catholic Church.

When the funeral train arrived at 11 o'clock the Alexandria, Culpeper and Charlotesville military companies were aboard. The Warrenton Rifles joined them at the station and the body was escorted to the town hall, where it lay in state for four hours before it was taken to the cemetery.

The honorary pallbearers were former members of Col. Mosby's command.

Among those prominent in his command and who attended the funeral were Maj. Dr. C. W. Kent and Francis H. Smith, of the University of Virginia and C. E. Beidler, of Luray.

Among the exquisite floral offerings was a very handsome one from Gov. Stuart, who was represented at the funeral by John Stewart Bryan, of Richmond.

All the business houses of Warrenton were closed for four hours as a mark of respect to the Confederate chieftain.

The Alexandria Light Infantry, Capt. Conrad Johnson, returned home last night.

TORNADO HITS TWO STATES

Loss of Life From Cyclone Feared in Northwestern Towns. All Wires Down.

Chicago, June 2.—Eighteen persons were reported injured in a wreck on the Wabash railroad at Saunamin, Ill., early today, when a cyclone swept four sleepers, one chair car, and two baggage couches of the Midnight Special, Chicago, to St. Louis, from the tracks.

Lacrosse, Wis., June 2.—Loss of life was feared today at North McGregor, Iowa, and Prairie du Chien, Wis., in a tornado which is reported to have swept the towns early today, and is believed to have caused heavy damages. Wires are down to both towns.

POISONED CREAM PUFFS.

Woman Confesses She Sent Them and Gets 20 Years for Murder.

Providence, R. I. June 2.—Mrs. Hattie E. Oakley, yesterday interrupted her trial on a charge of murder for causin gthe death of Almand Vadeboncoeur, January 26, by pleading guilty. Vadeboncoeur died after eating a poisoned cream puff. She was sentenced to 20 years in State prison.

Before Mrs. Oakley made her confession, experts had identified as her writing the address on a package containing three puffs sent by special delivery mail to Henry Cassavant, who for several years had been on friendly terms with Mrs. Oakley.

Cassavant ate two of the puffs and gave one to Vadeboncoeur. The former become violently ill, but survived and has since been partly paralyzed.

The State, contended that jealousy of Cassavant's attention to other women caused her to send him the poisoned cream puffs.

NO MORE SLIDES IN CANAL.

New York, June 2.—"The Panama Canal will never be blocked again, The backbone of the slides has been broken."

Such was the statement yesterday of George W. Goethals, Governor of the Canal Zone, when he reached port aboard the United Fruit steamer Santa Marta.

KEYNOTE SPEECH BY JUDGE DUKE

Chosen Temporary Chairman of State Democratic Convention

GREAT ENTHUSIASM

Houston Slated For Permanent Chairman—Ellyson Presides at Committe Meeting for Last Time

Roanoke, June 2.— The Eighth District Covention organized at Roanoke this morning as follows: Howard W. Smith, chairman; W, C. Gloth, secretary; Geo. Hening, sergeant at arms; State Committee, R. C. L. Moncure, Gardner L. Boothe, T. A. Williams, R. A. McIntyre and R. T. Green. Delegates to National Democratic Convention, St. Louis E. H. Gibbson, W. N. Lippscomb, Chas. Bendheim, and Robert Gray. Alternates, N. A. Linney, W. N. Tiffany, W. Worth Smith, W. W. Burdette; Presidential Elector, Westmoreland Davis.

Roanoke, June 2.—Judge R. T. W. Duke of Charlottesville, was last night elected by the State Democratic Committee temporary chairman of tomorrow's convention. His name was placed in nomination by Committeeman Aubrey Weaver, of Page and election followed by a unanimous vote.

The selection of Judge Duke for the duty of sounding the keynote speech was determined upon by party leaders at a late hour yesterday afternoon.

It took most of the delegates by surprise, since the burden of preconvention gossip had given the office to Representative Saunders, of the Fifth District, It is understood that Mr. Saunders joined in the movement to elect Judge Duke.The choice was everywhere approved.

The convention was called to order at noon today by Judge Duke, who sounded the keynote speech. The body then proceeded to organiize on a permanent footing. It is assumed that Harry R. Houston, of Hampton, Speaker of the House of Delegates, will be elected permanent chairman without opposition.

The State committee met at 8 o'clock last night in the Chamber of Commerce. Chairman Ellyson, presiding for the last time over the body which he has headed for 26 consecutive years, made a brief farewell speech in relinquishing the reins of party government. He gave up the chairmanship, he said, carrying with him most pleasant recollections of the companionship he has enjoyed with the members of the committee.

"As your leader for more than a quarter of a century," said Mr. Ellyson, "I want to say that there has never been a time that the Democrats of this State, divided as they have been at times, have not cheerfully reposed in me full confidence. On my part I have always endeavored to serve the whole party to the best of my ability. In retiring to the ranks, I can only promise that, as a soldier in Democracy, I shall try to be as loyal to the cause as I tried to be when I was the commander."

Mr. Ellyson's speech was warmly applauded. The committee proceeded swiftly to finish its work by electing J. N. Brenaman, of Richmond, temporary secretary, and James McFall, of Roanoke, temporary sergeant-at-arms, All elections were made unanimously. The circumstance led Chairman Ellyson to express the prediction that the present unanimity was a promising earnest of the single-mindedness that will mark the proceedings of the major convention today.

Upon the motion of Committeeman I. T. Whitehead, the committee adopted a resolution directing each of the district conventions to nominate two members to form together a general committee, whose duty it shall be to present in person to President Wilson the resolutions respecting his administration that the convention proper will adopt.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Richmond Theatre open this afternoon at matinee and tonight.

Judge L. C. Barley of the Corporation Court has appointed Dr. Walter A. Warfield, physician to the city jail in the place of Dr. Thomas S. Gibson, deceased.

During the month of May Nevell S. Greenaway, clerk of courts, issued a total of 72 marriage licenses of which number 56 were to white and 16 to colored couples. A total of 41 deeds were also recorded.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Despondent because of ill-health, Patton R. Lane, a paralytic, fifty-years old, punctured his jugular vein with a knife yesterday at Gate City, His body was found by members of his family in a chair and covered with blood.

Joseph M. Hall, aged sixty-five years, was seriously hurt, and his grandson, Basil Robertson, of Eckman, W. Va., was killed yesterday at Pulaski when they were struck by a Norfolk and Western passenger train They failed to hear the ringing of the signals and drove immediately in front of the train.

While trying to open a dynamite cap, Z. Parker Richardson, Jr., five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Parker Richardson, of Moseleys Junction, received wounds yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from which he died a few hours later in Stuart Circle Hospital Richmond. The lad found the fulminate cap in an outhouse, and at once attempted to open it. The tearing of the metal exploded the shell and mutilated the child.

A. D. Whitten, a farmer living near Forks of Buffalo in the vicinity of Lynchburg was shot and fatally wounded late Wednesday near his home by a neighbor, Thomas B. Davis. He died later. The men were at outs over a magistrate's trial, and it is alleged that Davis drove by Whitten's farm Wednesday and that Whitten threatened him. As Whitten started to climb upon his wagon Davis fired. Whitten was a delegate to the Democratic State Convention, which meets today at Roanoke. Some years ago he shot a man who lived upon the farm now occupied by Dav Davis was arrested and brought to Amherst Courthouse late yesterday afternoon. He waved preliminary hearing and was held for the grand jury. He was released on $2,000 bail for appearance June 12 before the Circuit Court.

MRS. COWLES ELECTED

Mrs Kate Waller Barrett Urges Federated Clubs to Support New Agency

New York, June 2—Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles, Cal., has been elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs by a large majority, defeating Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath of Tiffin, Ohio.

The vote showed that Mrs. Cowles received 1,273 ballots, against 433 for Mrs. Sneath.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, prominent reform worker, of Alexandria, Va., and Washington, D. C., who is representing the Federal government at the convention, appealed to the delegates to assist her in the organization of the proposed government employment bureau for women and girls.

Plans for the bureau recently were completed by A. Caminetti, Commissioner of Immigration, and Secretary of Labor Wilson. Mrs. Barrett, who has spent years in studying the causes of denquency among working girls, was selected to head the bureau.

It is believed that the bureau, by co-operating with official and unofficial organizations throughout the country, will do much to reduce the dangers that beset the working girl when she finds herself out of work.

Mrs. Barrett, in discussing this phase of the question said:

"My interest for years has been centered upon the delinquent girl. I have 108,000 cases of girls who have gone wrong, tabulated with a general view to family ties and trends. I have found the crux of the whole troble lies in the economic condition, particularly of the untrained girl."

TIDE FLOWING TOWARD HUGHES

Strong Sentiment Shown in Favor of Nominating Jusist

T. R. IS AT STANDSTILL

Odds 10 to 1 That Hughes Will Be Nominated For President by the Chicago Convention

Washington, June 2. — Justice Hughes, through his secretary, announced today that neither Frank H. Hitchcock nor any one else is authorized to work for the nomination of the Justice in Chicago.

"Justice Hughes has no representative, and there is no man authorized to use his name as a Presidential possibility," said the secretary, Laurence H. Green, positively.

Chicago, June 2—Yesterday was a Hughes day. There was a further distinct swing toward the Supreme Court Justice for the Republican Presidential nomination, while the Roosevelt movement seemed to be practically at a standstill so far as it was reflected among the Republican leaders who are gathering here for the national convention.

The coming together of the Republican National Committee to pass on the contested seats disclosed a surprisingly strong undercurrent in favor of Hughes among the party leaders. The talk among them for Roosevelt was much less pronounced. On one point nearly all seemed to agree—that the nomination for first place on the Republican ticket lay between the Jurist and Colonel Roosevelt.

The situation was summed up by Reed Smoot, United States Senator from Utah, who declared in favor of Justice Hughes upon his arrival here yesterday morning. Senator Smoot is credited with being one of the keenest political observers among conservative leaders, and his statement attracted attention owing to the fact that he personally always has been friendly toward Colonel Roosevelt. Said he:

"If I were a betting man, I would lay odds of 10 to 1 that Hughes will be the nominee and 20 to 1 that Roosevelt will not get the nomination. That is the way I size up the situation."

There were circumstantial reports that ex-Senator W. Murray Crane, of Massachusetts, who is one of the powers in the Republican party, will make known his preference for Hughes soon after his arrival in Chicago.

Republican leaders yesterday began trying to find out what action would be taken by the Progressive National Convention, which meets June 7. They are trying to get some definite information as to whether Colonel Roosevelt really intends to run for President as the candidate of the Progressive party in the event another man is chosen by the Republicans.

Political supporters of both Roosevelt and Hughes were jubilant last night over the defeat of the attempt made by certain members of the Republican National Committee to have the contests over delegates heard by subcommittees instead of by the full committee, which always has decided these disputes.

When Chairman C. D. Hilles suggested that subcommittees be named to go over the documents in the contest so that the full committee need not waste time considering trival disputes, the Roosevelt and Hughes supporters scented a possible plot to have the contests considered in secret sessions and they vigorously protested. Senator Smoot led the fight against the motion voted down.

The case of Virginia, which elected twice the ordinary number of delegates, was the first considered. On suggestion of Chairman Hilles the question was referred to the delegation itself as to whom should be seated.

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BATTLE IN NORTH SEA

Eight British Warships Sunk, According to Dispatches From Berlin

Berlin, June 2—An engagement between the German high seas fleet and the main part of the English fighting fleet, in which more than eight British vessels were destroyed, and many badly damaged, was announced in an admiralty statement today.

The German cruises Weisbaden was sunk, the fate of the German ship Fauenlob, which is missing, and of some tropedo boats, which have not returned yet is unknown, and the battleship Pommern was sent to the bottom by a torpedo.

In this engagement, as far as known until now, the Germans destroyed the large battleship Warspite the battle cruisers, Queen Mary and Indefatigible, two armoured cruisers, apparently of the Achilles tpye, one small cruiser, new flag ships of the destroyers, Turbanant and Nestore and Alcaster, a large number of torpedo destroyers and one submarine.

Several German ships rescued parts of the crew of the sunken British ships. Among those rescued were only two survivors of the Indefatigable.

It is also reported that a small British cruiser, a number of torpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats were sunk.

The admiralty statement also declares that the British battleship Marlborough was hit by a torpedo, this being confirmed by the prisoners rescued.

The German admiralty statement adds that by observation it was established that a large number of British battleships suffered damage from the fire of the German big ships and the attacks of the torepdo boat flotilla.

TO KEEP MEN IN MEXICO

Won't Withdraw Them Till Carranza Has Established Order

Washington, June 2—General Carranza's note demanding withdrawal of American troops from Mexico has brought no change in the determination of President Wilson to maintain the present troop disposition until the ability of the de facto government to police its side of the border has been demonstrated.

It is stated authoritatively today that General Pershing's force will remain where it is until that time arrived.

A reply will be made to General Carranza, but the form it will take had not been determined. President Wilson read the hasty translation of the long communication.

While official comment is withheld, it is understood that the tone of the document is regarded as decidedly offensive, and certain portions of it, such as the thinly-veiled accusation that the President is playing domestic politics in retaining the troops in Mexico, may draw a sharp rebuke. It is doubtful, according to authorities on the international correspendence of the United States, if the Government ever has received a communication couched in as offensive terms and containing as many apparent violiatons of the ordinary uses of diplomatic courtesy as this 12,000 word arraignment of its good faith and honesty of purpose.

President Wilson himself will decide what course shall be pursued. So far as could be learned tonight, no conference or preliminary inquiries have yet been initiated to determine the nature of the reply. Apparently, none is necessary so far as the withdrawal of the troops is concerned. There is no indication that that possibility is even being considered.

The President left Washington last night for Annapolis to attend graduating exercises tomorrow at the Naval Academy. Unless there are unforseen developments, he probably will spend the week-end aboard the navy yacht Mayflower and return Monday. This in itself will delay any early reply to Carranza, and it is generally believed that no answer will be framed for a week or 10 days.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loveing remembrance of our dear daughter, LEONA PEARL SULLIVAN, who departed this life four years ago today, June 2, 1912.

Oh pity us, for weeping
For sorrow shades our brow
She has gone from us to heaven
We have no Leona now.

By Mother and Father.

FRENCH SUCCEED IN VERDUN FIGHT

Repulse German Attacks and Take 400 Metres of Trenches

AUSTRIANS HELPING

Crown Prince Forced to Draw on Teutonic Allies to Aid in the Terrible Struggle

Paris, June 2.—By a violent infantry attack the French troops progressed 100 meters into the German trenches south of Caurettes wood, the official communique announced today.

A German attack between Caurettes wood and Cumieres was checked by curtain fire.

On the right bank of the Meuse an extremely violent battle went on all day from Thiaumont farm to Vaux.

Southeast of Douaumont fort the Germans penetrated into the southern part of Caillette woods and also made progress on the shore of Vaux pond, it was admitted.

At all other points along the line the enemy was repulsed with heavy losses. Douaumont, already subjected to the explosion of housands of shells, was again under fierce artillery fire.

Paris, June 2—The momentous battle at Verdun shows no signs of slackening in violence, but the latest official reports, in contrast with most of those issued the last few days, record no further advances for the Germans. The centre of theb itterest fighting has shifted somewhat to the southwest of the front between Cumieres and Dead Man Hill, west of the Meuse, where the Germans have scored most of their recent gains. Dead Man Hill, or the ground in its immediate vicinity, has been the scene of the latest infantry engagements.

The Germans attacked the French positions here but were completely repulsed according to the War Office bulletin, the German defeat following a success for the French achieved Wednesday, when they captured from the Germans a fortified position south west of the hill.

Reports point to the growing intensity of the desperate struggle. They declare, however, that, despite the tremendous efforts of the Germans, the French first line west of the Meuse still is unbroken, and that the Germans must score further advances here before they can force the main issue by carrying the battle to the opposite bank of the Meuse, where the Bras-Douaumont-Vaux line continues to bar a direct advance upon the fortress.

Several thousand Austrian troops have been observed among recent reinforcements brought to the vicinity of Douaumont. Among military observers here this is believed to indicate that Germany has insisted that Austria divide her effective in aid of the Germans, in spite of the fact that an Austrian offensive is being pressed against Italy.

DEATH OF MINISTER

Rev. J. G. Council, Ninety-Five Years Old, Passes Away in the County

Rev. J. G. Council, ninety-five years old, believed to be the oldest minister in the Potomac Baptist Association, died yesterday at the home of his son-in-law, Geo. H. Rucker in Alexandria county. He was stricken with paralysis several years ago. His last pastorate was at Woodlawn, in 1899. Dr. Council was born in Southhampton county, in 1821. He wasordained to the ministry in 1848 having his first field of labor at Portsmouth. Funeral services were held this afternoon at his daughter's home at Clarendon. Rev. H. L. Swain and Rev. W. S. O. Thomas of Falls Church will officiate. Interment is to be at Ivy Hill Cemetery, Alexandria.

Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city delivered an address at the funeral.

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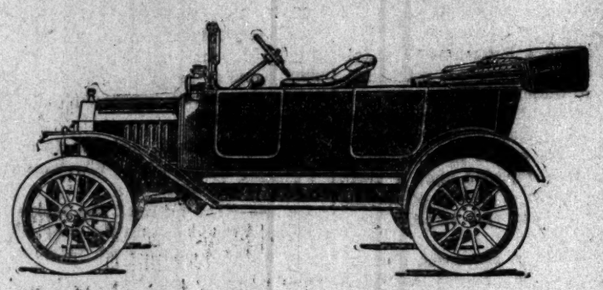

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ASCENSION DAY SERMON

Alexandria Knight Templars Visit Washington and Hear Rev. J. H. Nelms Preach

A score or more of members of Old Dominion Commandery, Knights Templar, of this city went to Washington last night and attended Ascension Day Services with the Washington Templars at the Church of the Ascension.

The august ritual of the order prevailed and every knight was in dress uniform.

These services, an annual event, were preceded by a parade of the hundreds of knights forming the grand commandery and the five subordinate commanderies, and a review by President Wilson. The sermon was preached by the Rev. J. Henning Nelms, who spoke of the duties of the knights as members of the church militant.

President Wilson reviewed the long columns of fours composing the parade in the White House grounds upon the north portico and returned the salutes of the commanders and knights as they passed around the semicircular driveway and out the west gate.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS.

Officers of Two Bodies of This City Elected and Installed.

The following officers have been elected and installed by two of the Scottish Rite Masonic bodies of Alexandria: Randolph Chapter Knights of the Rose Croix:

Arthur A. Paul, wise master.
J.W illiam May, senior warden.
W. W. Ballenger, junior warden.
William Lewis Allen, orator.
Robert S. Barrett, almoner.
Frank W. Latham, secretary.
James M. Duncan, treasurer.
H. W. Wildt, master of ceremonies.
A. M. Sherwood, expert.
B. J. Richards, assistant expert.
Chester A. Gwinn, standard bearer
S. W. Pitts, guard of the temple.
G. W. Zachary, tiler.
H. G. Harryman, organist.
W. J. Waller, soloist.
B. K. Smith, electrician.

Lafayette Council, Knights Kadosh.

W. S. Gonnelly, commander.
W. R. Cline, 1st lieutenant commander.
J. William May, 2nd. lieutenant commander.
William Lewis Allen, chancellor.
Harry S. Brown, orator.
Robert S. Barrett, almoner.
Frank W. Latham, recorder.
James M. Duncan, treasurer.
W. W. Ballenger, master of ceremonies.
A. M. Sherwood, turcoplier.
B. J. Richards, draper.
J. J. Green, 1st deacon.
S. W. Pitts, 2nd. deacon.
Chester A. Gwinn, bearer of beaucheaunt.
Vance H. Peele, bearer of white standard.
H. W. Wildt, bearer of black standard.
St. C. D. Shelton, lieutenant of guard.
G. W. Zachary, sentinel.
H. G. Harryman, organist.
W. J. Waller, soloist.
B. K. Smith, electrician.

PARENTS AND TEACHERS

No Need of Alarm Over Scarlet Fever Situation in Alexandria

The annual meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association was held last night in the Chamber of Commerce and the following officers were elected:

S. G. Blanton, president.
Mrs. William J. Morton, first vice president.
Mrs. T. Clifton Howard, second-vice-president.
Mrs. Hampton Yates, third vice-president.
Mrs. E. E. Carver, secretary.
C. A. Burrous, treasurer.

Dr. E. A. Gorman, city health officer, appeared before the meeting and told the members that there was no need for alarm over the scarlet fever situation.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Claude W. Fletcher, W. H. Charles and C. Page Waller are representing Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons at the annual banquet of the Elkins Lodge in Philadelphia.

Miss Kitty Steele Barrett, left last night for New York, where she will join her mother, Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, and they will go to St. John's New Brunswick, where Miss Barrett will be married on Monday to Lieut. Charles V. Poser, of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Lieut. Poser expects to be ordered to the European battle front in a few days and will be accompanied by his bride as far as England.

MILD CASES OF FEVER

Not of Sufficient Proportions to Cause any Alarm

Alexandria is in the midst of a mild scarlet fever epidemic, but not of sufficient proportions to cause any alarm according to the doctors and health authorities of the city. Dr. E. A. Gorman, city health officer, has been carefully watching the situation and is prepared to take any steps that may be needed in case the epidemic should assume a more serious state. There have been 12 cases reported to the present time and all are of a mild nature. No deaths from the disease have been reported to the health office.

Dr. Gorman appeared before the members of the Parents-Teachers Association last night and told the members that the reports of the spread of the disease had been greatly exaggerated, and that in his opinion there was no need of closing the public schools at present.

NURSES GRADUATE

Receive Diplomas at Annual Commencement Exercises

Four graduates of the Alexandria Hospital received their diplomas at the annual commencement exercises which were held last night in the Young People's Building. They were Mrs. Ethel Gray Marshall, Miss Elsie MacDonald, Miss E. Gertrude Meyerhoffer and Miss Anna Lee Hyatt

Dr. William M. Smith presided and confered the diplomas. Dr. George T. Klipstein administered the modified Florence Nightingale oath and the class pins were presented by Dr. S. B. Moore. The invocation and benediction were pronounced by the Rev. P. P. Phillips, D. D., rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

A musical program was rendered by Mrs. Harrie White, Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler and Miss Gerlacher.

The stage was decorated with flowers and palms and the auditorium was filled with members of the board of managers of the hospital and friends of that institution, together with many of the friends and relatives of the graduates.

HANOTAUX OBSERVATIONS

Paris, June 2.—Gabriel Hanotaux Former Minister of Foreign Relations of France summarizes the present war situation in Europe. He says: the Verdun offensive has lasted three month and people are astonished that it should be persisted in with such stubbornness, since it has been demonstrated that the strategical importance of this position cannot ensure a decision in so far as the issue of the war is concerned. The reason is that the Hohenzollern dynasty needs a victory and the Crown Prince must save his marshal's baton, no matter what the price. Four hundred thousand men will perish, and even more, if necessary, in order to satisfy the vanity and ambition of one man.

A WEALTHY WOMAN INTENDS TO SPEND A FORTUNE ON A HOME FOR DESTITUTE CATS.

But Philip Dyson, her nephew, gives up his main sport and hobby, to prevent her doing it. This along with many funny adventures of mistaken identity make up one of the most delightful two-act comedies ever produced in this town. It is to be given in the Westminster Building next Friday night June [illegible] by select talent from the High School. You owe it to your school to be there. Tickets 25 cent[illegible] -3t.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD

Calls to Mind Reminiscences of Times in Alexandria Which Tried Men's Souls.

Charles L. Crown, 90 years old, who conducted an auction business at 6th street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Washington, died yesterday, at the home of his son-in-law J. M. Hedian, in Baltimore, Mr. Crown, was born in Washington in 1826.

The death of Mr. Crown will reproduce to some still living reminiscences of Alexandria about the time the war between the states was being brought to the birth. The deceased was then a resident of this city, and with Charles Dieffenderfer conducted an auction house in the building now occupied by Robert Bell's Sons as a printery, on the east side of Fairfax street, near King. Dieffenderfer was of a humorous nature, and while "upon the block" generally kept the crowd which visited the house at night in almost continuous laughter. At that time the late Luther D. Harrison conducted an auction house on the east side of Royal street, near King, and he, too, had the power to amuse the many who crowded his place of business at night. Harrison was minus buffoonry, but was of a dramatic mould, and he recited postry and indulged in striking attitudes to the entertainment of his customers. Visits to these auction houses, especially on Saturday nights, was as anticipated as is attending moving picture at present.

The house of Dieffenderfer and Crown closed with advent of war. Shortly before the capture of Alexandria by federal troop May 24, 1861, some misguided men whose blood had become overheated by the issues which were about to bring on the four-years' conflict conceived the notion that any person born north of Mason and Dixon's line should not be tolerated in the southern country, and a crusade, short-lived, however, was precipitated. Several men known to be of northern birth were virtually feared out of the community, fearing a coat of tar and feathers. Some of these enthusiasts gathered around Dieffenderfer at this time and calling his attention to the fact that he was not a native and to the manner born, grew menacing. Dieffenderfer was of a pleasant nature, and had many friends and acquaintance in Alexandria, among them being James T. Jackson, who shot Colonel Elmer E. Ellsworth in the Marshall House and was subsequently killed by New York Fire Zouaves. Jackson seeing Dieffenderfer's plight as he passed along the street, forged his way through the crowd and approaching Dieffenderfer asked him what caused the commotion. Dieffenderfer replied, "O, nothing; only the boys want to handle me roughly because of my northern birth." Jackson locked arms with him and said, "Come along; no one shall hurt you if I can stop it." The two moved away and the crowd soon vanished.

BRANDEIS CONFIRMED

Vote in the Senate Stood 47 Yes to 22 Noes

Within ten minutes after the Senate went into executive session yesterday Louis D. Brandeis was confirmed as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. The vote was 47 to 22. Three Republicans voted for him and two were paired in his favor. The only Democrat who voted reject the nomination was Francis G. Newlands, of Nevada. The Senate ordered the injunction of secrecy removed from the vote and the majority and minority reports from the Judiciary Committee.

Among the pairs were Martin with McCumber and Swanson with Jones The first named were favorable to the nomination.

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ARCHBISHOP WARNS WOMEN

Warnings that women and girls "indecently attired" will be refused Holy Communion have been received by many Milwaukee Catholics. The warning came in the form of a letter from Archbishop Sebastian Messemer to the Catholic clergy of the diocese. It said in part:

"Immodesty and indecency in the manner of dress worn by women and girls is a most distressing and ill-boding feature of modern society. It becomes the strict duty of Catholic clergy to warn the faithful against the evil which is the cause of so much sin and scandal. A sermon preached at an early date (within two or three weeks) in the Catholic churches of our diocese will help us powerfully to prevent among our girls and women indecent exposure of naked arms, breasts and shoulders, which has become particularly ostentatious during the summer season."

Paul in his day had problems to solve similar to those confronting the church today. He suggested that women should adorn themselves in modest apparel. As is well known to all acquainted with ancient history, this was not always the case and those professing the new faith were supposed to frown upon any practice which caused women to appear in immodest garb.

The same tastes which prevailed in the world thousands of years ago are manifest in our day. The diaphanous gown was worn in the days of the Pharaohs of Egypt, and Zuleika, wife of Potiphar, is said to have been a leader in that fashion. The account of the adventure of Joseph with this bold woman as told in a few words in the book of Genesis is suggestive but Mahomet in the 12th chapter of the Koran gives a more thrilling description of this incident in the life of the moral Israelite.

The old Roman proverb, "Times change and men change with them," is no doubt true in some cases but there has been little change in appetites, especially of the more questionable class, since man was placed upon the earth.

Herodotus's history stands next to holy writ in point of antiquity. Those who have read the observations of this ancient scribe will recall what he witnessed in different cities in ancient days and which are akin to some happenings in the twentieth century. For many reasons we will not describe them.

DOES GERMANY WISH PEACE?

The Lynchburg News says if Germany means her peace talk to be taken seriously, evidently she has decided that she can afford after all to accept peace terms that will at least make the conflict a draw, for she cannot expect her enemies to yield under present conditions to any terms that would give Germany supremacy in Europe and other parts of the world. That she is willing to quit and resume something of the status before the war, must be the branch she is offering, if the declaration is not made to put the onus of further fighting on her enemies. She may wish to impress the world with her readiness to make peace, and the unreadiness of her enemies.

But common sense would lead one to believe Germany sincerely yearns for peace, and would gladly consent to it on even terms. This ought to be her sentiment on the subject, if it is not, for it is little short of actual demonstration now that she will never to able to reach Paris and to conquer her enemies. Her progress in the direction of winning has been actually blocked for more than a year; and as time goes on the odds are accumulating against her. If wise, she can see that terms made now would be better than terms made six months or a year hence, even if she is still capable of holding her ground. Every day marks a loss in resources and in prestige. The leaders know only too well Germany's limitations and know that her resources are approaching exhaustion.

One incentive to peace from the standpoint of the ruling class is the fact that if Germany waits to be defeated the chance is that the masses will rise up in resentment and drive the Hohenzollerns from the country and establish a liberal government of some kind, and by stopping now and saving something from the wreck the monarchy may be one of the things saved.

On the whole, therefore, it becomes more and more apparent that Germany is sincerely bidding for peace, and hoping that the United States may in some way bring about an arrangement for terminating the war.

GERMANY IN STARVING STATE

There is no longer effort to disguise the fact that Germany is suffering the keenest privation. The condition is pitiful in the extreme and American sensibilities are profoundly offended at the spectacle of seventy million of people being ground beneath the upper and nether millstones of inability to win a decisive victory upon the field and famine at home. As a human condition the latter is something to affect the feelings of any person, no matter what may be the direction of his sympathies as between the warring groups. The Muensten Neueste Nachrichten says: "It is difficult indeed to cast the horoscope of the new food dictator, who must try his hand at the severest task of the moment in Germany—namely, to assure a food supply for 70,000,000 people. One thing is certain: even the finest system of war rationing is unable to create more food material than we possess."

The Vossische Zeitung thus describes the situation: "At a moment when stores are raided for concealing food and the owners are severely punished, while those who have not enough money to evade the law stand in long lines for hours hoping to obtain the smallest proportion of rations allotted by a food card, the rich are surrepitiously buying foodstuffs at outrageous prices, thus depriving others of their fair share. We know the case of a farmer who sold two geese for $45. One automobilist paid $50 for a ham, a price for which a prize pig could be secured in peace times. The appointment of a food dictator is not expected to remedy conditions." Vorwaerts declares that many children are showing unhealthy complexions and mental deficiency is upon the increase.

Such a condition, attended with inevitable food riots that caused the destruction of the public kitchens, is an illuminating commentary upon the sufferings of a civil population that has been preserved from actual invasion of territory—almost equaling those of populations in war-ridden territories.

"INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIALISM."

An American flag and the colors of many other nations were burned last night in a "melting pot" suspended on a tripod in the yard in the rear of the Rev. Bouck White's Church of the Social Revolution, in New York. The "ceremony" was conducted by Albert Henkel. After the colors had been destroyed Henkel unfurled the banner of "International Industrialism."

One of the speakers decared no moment could be "more auspicious for the merging of all the nations into the international commonwealth"

Those who had gathered chanted "If die we must, we'll die for our God. Rise, revolutionists!"

A cartoon in colors showed the banner of the "revolution" breaking over the colors of the United States and other countries. This cartoon adorned the wall of his church. White was later arrested to answer the charge of desecrating the flag of his country. The prayers which were offered at the services last night, called for the "deliverance" of White and compared him to the Christian martyrs of old.

It is the belief of some that all the disorderly elements of this world will eventually head up under the tutelage of some church organization, and proceedings like those described above gives strength to such convictions.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Dr. Arthur Warren Waite yesterday was sentenced to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing some time during the week beginning July 10.

It is reported that Prince Edward of Wales, heir-apparent to the British throne, is to marry Princess Yolanda, the oldest daughter of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy and a girl of rare beauty.

Liquor, two men, one woman and jealousy caused a murder in Athens, Bradford county. Pa, Wednesday. During a quarrel over the woman, Mitchell Wooley shot Warren Decker, of Corning, N. Y., a guest, in the stomach. Decker died later. Woolcy is in jail, charged with murder.

Beatrice Walter, 19, was found dead early yesterday, near Providence, R. I., with bullet wound in her breast. and James O'Brien, with whom she had been walking early in the evening, is under arrest. O'Brien declares he left her for a minute and on his return found her dying by her own hand, a bullet lodged in her breast.

Two persons were killed and two probably fatally injured early yesterday when their automobile crashed into a street car at South Bend, Ind. The dead are Mrs. Edgar P. Galbreath and her daughter, Margaret, 14. Edgar P. Galbreath and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Runyan, are thought to have little chance for recovery.

Despondent over the death of [illegible] son, who was killed by an automobile in front of his home, some months ago, Frank Nolan, a traveling salesman, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head at his home in Media, Pa., Wednesday. Nolan spent nearly all day Tuesday by the graves of his wife and little son and a desire to join them is believed to have caused him to kill himself.

Francisco Dominguez, who, with his brother, of the same name, were with Villa during his Columbus raid, was killed at Pulavo, Tex., 25 miles from Presidio, Tex., Wednesday by two Texas rangers. The brothers hed been long sought and when the rangers attempted to put them under arrest, put up a fight. It was the younger who was killed, the other making his escape across the border.

A Berlin dispatch to the Copenhagen Politiken says that the court which conducted the preliminary examination of Dr. Karl Liebnecht, the Socialist leader, decided that he should be prosecuted for treason. Dr. Liebknecht, who has aroused much antagonism by his opposition to policies of the German Government in relation to the war, was arrested in Berlin for having participated in a peace demonstration on May Day.

The Austro- Hungarians have it is claimed captured Asiago and Arsiero and now are furiously attacking the chain of crests to the southward in a drive on Vicenza. The capture of about 31,000 Italian prisoners and 299 guns in the last two weeks is also announced, Correspondents at the front estimate that more than 80,000 Italians have been put out of action. The Italians have at least 120,000 men attempting to stem the Austrian advance, according to correspondents at the front.

Rather than run down a man, Miss Catherine Struther, 18 years old, turned her car directly into the display windows of a department store, in Bloomsburg, Pa., breaking three of the plate glass windows. She stuck to the car and brought it to a standstill. James Ale was standing in the middle of a street when Miss Struther turned a corner, but did not hear her horn, When too close to avoid a collision, the girl quickly decided to [illegible] chances on losing her own life.

Reports have reached Zurich from Romanshorn, a Swiss town on Lake Constance, that a new super-Zeppelin, 750 feet long, has been seen when making trial flights over the lake. The total capacity of the airship is 54,000 cubic metres, of about double that of Zeppelins of the earlier type. The new craft is fitted with seven motors, four armored gondolas, machine guns, small cannon and apparatus for dropping bombs and discharging aerial torpedoes. It weighs 40 tons, is able to rise 15,000 feet and has a long range of action.

The District of Columbia Court of Appeals in a decision yesterday dealt a deathblow to the so-called "Rule 45" of the regulations of the Board of Education, which automatically removed a female school teacher when she married. Justice Gould, in handing down the decision, held that the rule was inconsistent with the organic school law in the District. The decision comes as the last chapter in a case where the School Board ousted Miss Gladys Strong as a teacher when she married Carl A. Hellman. The action of the board aroused a storm in Washington and the case was carried to the courts.

When the Cabinet meets at the White House Tuesday morning it probably will accept an invitation to march as guard of honor with President Wilson at the head of Washington's preparedness parade on June 14. The spectacle of the President of the United States walking on foot, surrounded by his Cabinet, not only will make Washington's demonstration a national affair, but will cause Flag Day of 1916 to go down as an epoch in American history. The President and his Cabinet probably will be followed in the parade by an army of government clerks, divided into units representing each of the executive departments.

Because he was jealous of their attention to Misses Ruth and Mabel Ford, Danville, Pa., young women, James M. Ditty, 37 years old, married, of Sunbury, shot Sanger Queras, Thomas Brown and Edward Miller with a shotgun. Queras and Brown received their charges in the groin and fell seriously injured. Miller was shot in the hand and leg. All were rushed to the Mary M. Packer Hospital, where the two are in bad shape Miller will recover. Ditty escaped and has not been seen since.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Dr. T. J. Pretlow, one of the best known physicians in Nansemond, Southampton and Isle of Wight counties, died yesterday in Newport News following a stroke of paralysis. He was 33 years old and was a son of the late Dr. T.J. Pretlow, of Suffolk.

Although some of the strikers on the Washington and Old Dominion railway are still holding out, a number if not a majority, of them have returned to work. While officials of the company still refuse to deal with a committee representing the once organized men "because they broke an arbitration agreement," the strikers are being seen as individuals. Each of the strikers taken back by the company was reinstated on his own personal application.

Patrolman Bernard A. Pitt, of the Second Precinct Police Station of Norfolk shot and wounded his wife early Wednesday afternoon, on Granby Street, near Wilson Avenue. Officer Pitt gave himself up immediately after the shooting. Mrs. Pitt has three bullet wounds, one in the right shoulder, one in the left hip and the third in the left leg, above the knee. The bullet which struck the leg fractured the bone, it is said, and caused what is believed to be the most dangerous wound. Mrs. Pitt is said to have lost considerable blood and was unconscious shortly after she was taken to the hospital, but it is not believed that her wounds will prove fatal. The shooting followed a conversation between Pitt and his wife.

With the organization of the new Synod of Appalachia, embracing presbyteries in portions of Kentucky, North Carolina, East Tennessee and Southwest Virginia, it has been decided to make King College at Bristol the historic Presbyterian institution, the central school of the synod for the education of young men. To this end the Rev. Dr. I. S. Anderson, of Rose Hill, has donated a suburban site of 42 acres at Bristol and the board of curators is inaugurating a campaign to raise funds for the erection of a new plant, into which it is proposed to put $250,000. The school now owns property valued at $70,000 and this will be disposed of and the proceeds used in connection with the building of the new plant.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

By virtue of a decree entered in the chancery cause of Jeannetta Bishop vs. Harry C. Glover, et als, in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on May 31st, 1916, the undersigned Commissioners of sale, who were appointed under the said decree, will on SATURDAY, the SEVENTEENTH DAY of JUNE, 1916, at twelve (12) o'clock, M in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, expose for sale, the following real estate situate in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the east side of Washington Street, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, one hundred and forty-one (141) feet, two (2) inches north of Wilkes Street, and running thence north on Washington Street twenty-three (23) feet, five (5) inches to an alley twelve (12) feet wide; thence east on said alley, seventy-five (75) feet, five (5) inches to an alley thirteen (13) feet wide, connecting with the said twelve (12) foot alley and leading to Wilkes Street; thence south on said thirteen (13) foot alley, twenty-three (23) feet, five (5) inches; thence west parallel with Wilkes Street, seventy (70) feet, five (5) inches, to the beginning, with the use of said alleys in common with other entitled to use the same. Being the same property which was conveyed to Charles E. Glover by H. O. Claughton, Commissioner, by deed dated February 1, 1890, and recorded in Deed Book 23, page 41.

Upon the following terms of sale; One-third (1-3) cash and the residue in six (6) and twelve (12) months from the date of sale, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Deferred payment to bear interest at the rate of six per cent from the date of sale, and evidenced by the notes of the purchaser, title to be retained until the said notes are paid.

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Commissioners of Sale

I Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, do certify that Samuel G. Brent, one of the above named Commissioners of Sale, has given bond with security in the penalty required by the decree entered in the cause.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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Adornment Will Typify New Era of Nation.

Washington, D. C. June 1. — Dimes, quarters and half dollars of new design will be minted after July 1, Secretary McAdoo announced Tuesday for the first time since 1891. The announcement disclosed that the half dollar has fallen practically into disuse. The new design was selected with hope of restoring it to more general circulation. The half dollar and dime models were made by Adolph A. Weinman and the quarter dollar by Hermon A. MacNeil, both sculptors of note.

The face of the new half dollar bears a full-length of Liberty, with a background of the American flag flying to the breeze. The Goddess is striding toward the dawn of a new day, carrying laurels and oak branches, symbolic of civil and military glory. The reverse side shows an eagle perched high upon a mountain crag, wings unfolded. Growing from a rift in the rock is a sapling of mountain pine, symbolic of America.

The design of the 25-cent piece is intended to typify the awakening of the country to its own protection, Secretary McAdoo's announcement stated.

Liberty, a full-length figure, is shown stepping toward the country's gateway, bearing upraised a shield from which the covering is being drawn. The right hand bears an olive branch of peace. Above the head is the word "Liberty", and below the feet "1916". The reverse bears a figure of an eagle in full flight, wings extended, and the inscriptions "United States of America and E. Pluribus Unium."

Both the half dollar and the quarter bear the phrase "In God We Trust."

The design of the dime is simple. Liberty with a winged cap is shown on the foreside and on the reverse is a design of a bundle of rods, and a battle-axe, symbolical of unity, "Wherein lies the nation's strength."

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Auction Sale of Desirable House and lot.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on March 2, 1903, and duly recorded among the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book 49, page 524, given by Harry Baker and wife to the undersigned Trustee, in trust to secure the payment of the sum of money therein set forth, evidenced by certain notes default having been made in the payment of said sum, and at the request of the legal holder of the said notes secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, at 12 o'clock Noon, on Monday June 12, 1916, all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, situated on the west side of St. Asaph Street, between Gibbon and Wilkes Streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph Street 57 feet north of Gibbon Street, and running thence north on St. Asaph Street 38 feet; thence west parallel with Gibbon Street 123 feet 5 inches to the middle of the square; thence south parallel with St. Asaph Street 38 feet; and thence east in a straight line 123 feet 5 in. to the point of beginning.

Terms of sale. Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

T. CALVERT PERRY, Trustee.

"APPARITION" IN CHURCH.

Evangelistic Service Nearly Scared Into Panic by Skylarker.

South Bethlehem, Pa., June 2. — There was an incident at the evangelistic services in the Nicholson-Hemminger tabernacle Wednesday evening that almost threw the large audience into a panic.

Evangelist Nicholson had just finished an excellent sermon, in which death was the central theme, and had his audience worked up to a high pitch when down an aisle came a person wearing a black mask.

At the sight of the grim object some of the women in the evidence grew hysterical, Robert M. Taylor, H. P. Horn and W. Danner seized the masked object, who proved to be Harry M. Long, of Preston street, Philadelphia. He was turned over to the police.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The United States Realty Company, of Wasnington, D. C., Incorporated, will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax stret, Alexandria, Virginia on MONDAY, JUNE 5, 1916, at 3.30 p. m., at which time the election of officers and directors will be held and such other business transacted as will properly come before them.

L. E. BAYNE,
27-6t. Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Take notice that we, the undersigned, holding and owning more than one-tenth of the capital stock of the Northeast Temple and Market Company, a corporation, and a majority thereof, do hereby call a general meeting of the stockholders of the said company to be held at the office of Chas. C. Carlin, Esq., in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 10 A. M. Monday, June 5, 1916, for the following purposes:

1st. The election of officers and directors for the filling of any vacancies.

2nd. To hear and receive reports of all officers and the directors with a full statement of the company's affairs and to take such action thereon as may be necessary.

3d. To determine whether or not an alleged obligation of the company held by the National Savings and Trust Co., for originally $30,000, shall be ratified confirmed and paid in whole or in part.

4th. To determine whether or not an alleged obligation held by M. C. Williamson for $14,300.00 shall be ratified, confirmed and paid in whole or in part.

5th. To authorize the proper officials to execute such necessary notes, deeds, of trust, or other evidences of debt to secure a loan or loans for sufficient amount to pay off the legitimate obligations which are liens upon the property of the company, and for other purposes.

6th. To consider and transact any other business that may come up or that may be necessary for the welfare of the company.

ARTHUR COWSILL
J. W. GINDER

Stockholders holding more than one tenth of the capital stock ,and a majority thereof.

RAYMOND M. HUDSON
LOUIS GREENBURG
Attorneys for Company.

NOTICE

An important meeting of St. Paul's Cemetery Association will be held in the Norton Memorial, Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. All lot owners and persons interested please attend.

T. CALVERT PERRY
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Extra fine sifted peas, per can 10c
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